

**Adapted from the South Carolina 2012 List of Reportable Conditions**

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<div><div><div>VIRAL</div><div><div>Influenza A, avian or other novel</div><div>Measles (Rubeola)</div><div>Poliovirus</div><div>Rabies virus (human)</div><div>Variola major (Smallpox)</div><div>Viral Hemorrhagic Fever agents (e.g., Ebola, Lassa, Marburg viruses)</div></div></div></div>	<div><div><div>VIRAL</div><div><div>Arboviral Agents (e.g., Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE), LaCrosse (LAC), St. Louis Encephalitis (SLE), West Nile Virus (WNV)) (7)</div><div>Dengue (<i>Flavivirus</i>) (7)</div><div>Hantavirus</div><div>Hepatitis A, acute (IgM Ab + only)</div><div>Hepatitis B, acute (IgM core Ab + only)</div><div>Influenza, pediatric deaths (age &lt;18) (10)</div><div>Mumps virus</div><div>Rubella</div><div>Yellow Fever (<i>Flavivirus</i>)</div></div></div></div>	<div><div><div>VIRAL</div><div><div>Hepatitis B, all positive tests</div><div>Hepatitis C, D, E, all positive tests</div><div>HIV-1 or HIV-2 infection (2)</div><div>HIV CD4 co receptor</div><div>HIV CD4 T-lymphocyte count/percentage – all results (2)</div><div>HIV HLA-B5701</div><div>HIV subtype, genotype, and phenotype</div><div>HIV viral loads – all results (2)</div><div>Influenza</div><div>Deaths (adults age 18 and older) (10)</div><div>Hospitalizations (aggregate report of totals) (10)</div><div>Lab confirmed (culture, RT-PCR, DFA, IFA)</div><div>Positive rapid flu test (aggregate report of totals)</div><div>Varicella (6)</div></div></div></div>
<div><div><div>BACTERIAL</div><div><div><i>Bacillus anthracis</i> (7)</div><div><i>Clostridium botulinum</i> or Botulinum toxin</div><div><i>Neisseria meningitidis</i>, invasive (4) (7) (9)</div><div><i>Yersinia pestis</i> (7)</div></div></div></div>	<div><div><div>BACTERIAL</div><div><div><i>Bordetella pertussis</i></div><div><i>Brucella</i> (7)</div><div><i>Burkholderia mallei</i> (7)</div><div><i>Burkholderia pseudomallei</i> (7)</div><div><i>Corynebacterium diphtheriae</i> (7)</div><div><i>Coxiella burnetii</i></div><div><i>Escherichia coli</i>, shiga toxin – producing (STEC) including O157:H7 (7)</div><div><i>Francisella tularensis</i> (7)</div><div><i>Haemophilus influenzae</i>, all types, invasive (4) (7)</div><div><i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i> (7)</div><div><i>Rickettsia prowazekii</i></div><div><i>Salmonella typhi</i> (7)</div><div><i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>, vancomycin intermediate / resistant (VISA/VRSA) (7)</div><div><i>Treponema pallidum</i> (Darkfield exam positive)</div><div><i>Vibrio</i> -all, including <i>V. cholerae</i> O1 and O139 (7)</div></div></div></div>	<div><div><div>BACTERIAL</div><div><div><i>Anaplasma phagocytophilum</i></div><div><i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i></div><div><i>Campylobacter</i></div><div>Chancroid (<i>Haemophilus ducreyi</i>)</div><div><i>Chlamydia psittaci</i></div><div><i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i>, genital site</div><div><i>Clostridium tetani</i></div><div><i>Ehrlichia</i></div><div><i>Enterobacteriaceae</i>, carbapenem-resistant (CRE) (<i>E. coli</i> and <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i>) (3)</div><div><i>Legionella</i> (All positive tests) (7)</div><div><i>Leptospira</i></div><div><i>Listeria</i> (7)</div><div><i>Mycobacterium leprae</i></div><div><i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i></div><div><i>Rickettsia rickettsii</i>, (Spotted Fever Rickettsioses)</div><div><i>Salmonella</i> (7)</div><div><i>Shigella</i> (7)</div><div><i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>, Methicillin resistant bloodstream infections (MRSA-BSI)</div><div><i>Streptococcus</i> group A, invasive disease (4)</div><div><i>Streptococcus</i> group B, age &lt; 90 days</div><div><i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>, invasive, (4), include antibiotic resistance patterns (3)</div><div>Syphilis, positive serologic test</div><div><i>Yersinia</i>, not <i>pestis</i></div></div></div></div>
<div><div><div><div></div><div></div></div><div><div></div><div></div></div></div><div><div><div>Potential agent of bioterrorism</div><div><div>1. Outbreak: An excess number of cases or syndromes over the expected occurrence of disease within a geographic area or population group, or healthcare facility.</div><div>2. Report HIV or AIDS when serum, urine, or oral fluid specimen is positive by (a) confirmatory test (e.g., Western Blot), or (b) HIV detection test (e.g., EIA or PCR nucleic acid test with viral load), or (c) clinical diagnosis of a case of HIV or AIDS. All reactive rapid HIV test results must be reported to DHEC. All HIV viral load and CD4 test results must be reported by labs regardless of results.</div><div>3. Antibiotic resistant organisms: resistant pneumococcus - MIC ≥ 2 µg/ml of penicillin G (or Oxacillin disc zone ≤ 19 mm) or resistance to any single drug accepted as effective treatment. The definition of resistance may differ between laboratories by test methods used to determine susceptibility. Reports should specify the site from which the isolate was obtained and the drug susceptibility profile.</div><div>4. Invasive disease = isolated from normally sterile site: blood, bone, CSF, joint, pericardial, peritoneal or pleural fluid, protected bronchial sampling, or from lung aspirate/biopsy, necrotizing fasciitis, and cellulitis only if isolate is from a tissue biopsy. Always specify site of isolate.</div><div>5. Report serum lead level ≥10 µg/dL for children under 18 years of age and ≥ 25 µg/dL for persons 18 years of age or older.</div><div>6. An outbreak of Varicella is defined as 5 or more cases within 6 weeks in a common setting, such as school, childcare or institutional setting.</div><div>7. Labs are requested to submit these isolates, positive serologies, or specimens to the DHEC Bureau of Laboratories for confirmatory testing or genotyping.</div><div>8. Acute meningelial symptoms, fever, CSF pleocytosis, sterile culture. Consult DHEC in outbreaks to submit specimens to lab for virus identification.</div><div>9. Report Gram-negative diplococci in blood or CSF.</div><div>10. Report lab-confirmed only. Laboratory confirmation includes culture, RT-PCR, DFA, IFA, or rapid test. For deaths, also includes autopsy results consistent with influenza.</div><div>* Preliminary results are defined as gram stain results that may be indicative of an immediately or urgently reportable condition.</div></div></div></div></div>		

# South Carolina 2012 List of Reportable Conditions

## How to Report

Submit reports by **one** of the following methods:

**1. Immediately Reportable Conditions**

- M-F, 8:30-5 PM: Call the regional public health office. See list below.
- Nights, weekends, and holidays: Call the regional public health office night / weekend phone / pager number (see list below), or the statewide DHEC emergency contact number (1-888-847-0902).

**2. Urgently Reportable Conditions:**

- Call the regional public health office within 24 hours. See list below.

**3. Conditions Reportable Within 7 Days:**

- Submit an electronic morbidity report via DHEC's web-based reporting system (CHESS). To learn more, call 1-800-917-2093,
- Complete the DHEC 1129 Disease Reporting Card and mail in an envelope marked confidential to the regional public health office (see list below), or
- Call the regional public health office.

**4. HIV, AIDS, and STDs (excluding Hepatitis):** To report these conditions: call 1-800-277-0873; or submit electronically via DHEC's web-based reporting system (CHESS) (call 1-800-917-2093 to learn more); or submit a DHEC 1129 Disease Reporting Card or appropriate CDC Case Report Form in a confidential envelope to:

Division of Surveillance & Technical Support, Mills/Jarrett Complex  
Box 101106, Columbia, SC 29211.

## What to Report

- Patient's name
- Patient's complete address, phone number, date of birth, race, sex, county, social security number
- Physician's name and phone number
- Name, institution, and phone number of person reporting
- Disease or condition
- Date of diagnosis
- Symptoms
- Date of onset of symptoms
- Date of report
- Lab results, specimen site, collection date
- If female, pregnancy status
- Status: In daycare or a food-handler

## Regional Public Health Offices

**Attention Health care Facilities, Physicians, and Laboratories:** Send or call reports to the Epidemiology Office in the county where the patient resides. These numbers should be used for reporting suspected and confirmed cases only.

### Region 1

(Anderson, Oconee)

220 McGee Road  
Anderson, SC 29625  
Phone: (864) 260-4358  
Fax: (864) 260-5623  
Nights / Weekends: 1-866-298-4442

(Abbeville, Edgefield, Greenwood, Laurens, McCormick, Saluda)

1736 S. Main Street  
Greenwood, SC 29646  
Phone: 1-888-218-5475  
Fax: (864) 942-3690  
Nights / Weekends: 1-800-420-1915

### Region 2

(Greenville, Pickens)

PO Box 2507  
200 University Ridge  
Greenville, SC 29602-2507  
Phone: (864) 282-4139  
Fax: (864) 282-4373  
Nights / Weekends: (864) 809-3825

(Cherokee, Spartanburg, Union)

PO Box 4217  
151 E. Wood Street  
Spartanburg, SC 29305-4217  
Phone: (864) 596-2227, x 210  
Fax: (864) 596-3443  
Nights / Weekends: (864) 809-3825

### Region 3

(Fairfield, Lexington, Newberry, Richland)

2000 Hampton Street  
Columbia, SC 29204  
Phone: (803) 576-2749  
Fax: (803) 576-2993  
Nights / Weekends: 1-888-554-9915

### Region 3 cont.

(Chester, Lancaster, York)

PO Box 817  
1833 Pageland Highway  
Lancaster, SC 29720  
Phone: (803) 286-9948  
Fax: (803) 286-5418  
Nights / Weekends: 1-866-867-3886

### Region 4

(Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Marlboro, Marion)

145 E. Cheves Street  
Florence, SC 29506  
Phone: (843) 661-4830  
Fax: (843) 661-4859  
Nights / Weekends: (843) 601-7051

(Clarendon, Kershaw, Lee, Sumter)

PO Box 1628  
105 North Magnolia Street  
Sumter, SC 29150  
Phone: (803) 773-5511  
Fax: (803) 775-9941  
Nights/Weekends: (803) 458-1847

### Region 5

(Bamberg, Calhoun, Orangeburg)

PO Box 1126  
1550 Carolina Avenue  
Orangeburg, SC 29116  
Phone: (803) 533-7199  
Fax: (803) 533-7134  
Nights / Weekends: (803) 516-5166

(Aiken, Allendale, Barnwell)

1680 Richland Avenue W., Suite 40  
Aiken, SC 29801  
Phone: (803) 642-1618  
Fax: (803) 643-8386  
Nights / Weekends: (803) 645-8167

### Region 6

(Georgetown, Horry, Williamsburg)

1931 Industrial Park Road  
Conway, SC 29526-5482  
Phone: (843) 915-8804  
Fax: (843) 365-0085  
Nights/Weekends: (843) 381-6710

### Region 7

(Berkeley, Charleston, Dorchester)

4050 Bridge View Drive, Suite 600  
N. Charleston, SC 29405  
Phone: (843) 953-0047  
Fax: (843) 953-0051  
Nights / Weekends: (843) 219-8470

### Region 8

(Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton, Jasper)

219 S. Lemacks Street  
Walterboro, SC 29488  
Phone: (843) 605-3407  
Fax: (843) 549-6845  
Nights / Weekends: (843) 441-1091

### DHEC Bureau of Disease Control

Division of Acute Disease Epidemiology

1751 Calhoun Street  
Box 101106  
Columbia, SC 29211  
Phone: (803) 898-0861  
Fax: (803) 898-0897  
Nights / Weekends: 1-888-847-0902

For information on reportable conditions and updates to the 2012 List of Reportable Conditions, see [www.scdhec.gov/health/disease/reportables.htm](http://www.scdhec.gov/health/disease/reportables.htm)



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